

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: NATO, CA  
SUBJECT: 1978 APAG SUBJECT

REF: STATE 36190

1. WE HAVE RAISED TOPIC FOR 1978 APAG MEETING IN  
POLADS AND CIRCULATED LETTER TO COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND  
THE IS GIVING RATIONAL PROVIDED IN PARA 2 REFTTEL.

2. WE ARE FOLLOWING UP PRIVATELY WITH POLADS TO  
URGE SUPPORT FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S PROPOSAL: THE  
CHANGING INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM -- EFFECTS ON THE  
ALLIANCE OF THE DIFFUSION OF POWER. A/SYG JUNG  
REACTED POSITIVELY WHEN WE DISCUSSED MATTER WITH  
HIM, BUT NOTED THAT SOME ALLIES MAY NOT WANT TO  
REACH FINAL AGREEMENT ON APAG TOPIC UNTIL THE CONTENT  
OF PART III OF THE EAST-WEST STUDY IS SETTLED.  
IN OUR VIEW, DISCUSSION OF APAG TOPIC NEED NOT  
AWAIT CONCLUSION OF THE EAST-WEST STUDY, AND INTENSIVE  
WORK ON THE STUDY SHOULD HELP JUSTIFY SELECTION OF  
DEPARTMENT'S TOPIC. WE WILL RAISE MATTER AGAIN IN  
POLADS AFTER CAPITALS HAVE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO  
CONSIDER US PROPOSAL. GLITMAN  
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